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WE FULLY ASSOCIATE OURSELVES WITH OUR COLLEAGUES ON THIS MATTER. LIKE EMBASSY BUCHAREST, WE HAVE NORMALLY FOLLOWED A SEVEN-DAY NOTIFICATION-IN-ADVANCE PROCEDURE, CLEARING WITH INS VIENNA, BUT WE TOO WISH TO MAINTAIN THE OPTION OF TAKING EXCEPTIONAL ACTION IN EXCEPTIONAL CASES. THUS, EMBASSY SOFIA ALSO REGARDS NEW PROCEDURE AS A RETROGRADE STEP.

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